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Brvan K Hawker Address for Plaintiff 8928 S. Black Pine St. West Jordan, Utah 84088

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IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT SALT LAKE COUNTY, STATE OF UTAH

BRYAN K. HAWKER, an individual,

Plaintiff.

v.

TRANSUNION LLC; and DOES 1 through 5, inclusive,

Defendants.

SUMMONS

Civil No. 250900247

Judge: Adom Mow

THE STATE OF UTAH TO THE FOLLOWING DEFENDANT(S):

TRANSUNION LLC

You are summoned and required to answer the attached Complaint that has been filed against you. Within 21 days after service of this summons, you must file your written answer with the clerk of the court at the following address: Matheson Courthouse 450 South State St., P.O. Box 1860, Salt Lake City, UT 84114-1860, and you must mail a copy to the address listed below. If you fail to do so, judgment by default may be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint. The Complaint is attached hereto.

DATED this 13 day of January 2025.

Bryan K. Hawker

Pro se

Address for Plaintiff 8928 S. Black Pine St. West Jordan, Utah 84088 Served for Jay Weaver Private Investigator G102341 PO Box 538 Sandy, UT 84091

Billingual Notice to Responding Party for In-State Summons (for compliance with URCP 4)

A lawsuit has been filed against you. You must respond in writing by the deadline for the court to consider your side. The written response is called an Answer.

Deadline!

Your Answer must be filed with the court and served on the other party within 21 days of the date you were served with this Summons.

If you do not file and serve your Answer by the deadline, the other party can ask the court for a default judgment. A default judgment means the other party can get what they asked for, and you do not get the chance to tell your side of the story.

Read the complaint/petition

The Complaint or Petition has been filed with the court and explains what the other party is asking for in their lawsuit. Read it carefully.

Answer the complaint/petition

You must file your Answer in writing with the court within 21 days of the date you were served with this Summons. You can find an Answer form on the court's website: utcourts.gov/ans

Scan QR code to visit page Se ha presentado una demanda en su contra. Si desea que el juez considere su lado, deberá presentar una respuesta por escrito dentro del periodo de tiempo establecido. La respuesta por escrito es conocida como la Respuesta.

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Su Respuesta debe ser presentada en el tribunal y también con la debida entrega formal a la otra parte dentro de 21 días a partir de la fecha en que usted recibió la entrega formal del Citatorio.

Si usted no presenta una respuesta ni hace la entrega formal dentro del plazo establecido, la otra parte podrá pedirle al juez que asiente un fallo por incumplimiento. Un fallo por incumplimiento significa que la otra parte recibe lo que pidió, y usted no tendrá la oportunidad de decir su versión de los hechos.

Lea la demanda o petición

La demanda o petición fue presentada en el tribunal y ésta explica lo que la otra parte pide. Léala cuidadosamente.

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Usted debe presentar su Respuesta por escrito en el tribunal dentro de 21 días a partir de la fecha en que usted recibió la entrega formal del Citatorio. Puede encontrar el formulario para la presentación de la Respuesta en la página del tribunal: utcourts.gov/ans-

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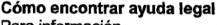
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copy of your Answer to the other party (or their attorney or licensed paralegal practitioner, if they have one) at the address shown at the top left corner of the first page of this Summons.

Usted deberá enviar por correo electrónico, correo o entregar personalmente una copia de su Respuesta a la otra parte (o a su abogado o asistente legal, si tiene) a la dirección localizada en la esquina izquierda superior de la primera hoja del citatorio.

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JAN 13 2025

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By:---

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Bryan K Hawker Address for Plaintiff 8928 S. Black Pine St. West Jordan, Utah 84088

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Plaintiff,

v.

TRANSUNION LLC; and DOES 1 through 5, inclusive,

Defendants.

COMPLAINT

Civil No. 250900247

Judge: Adam Mow

Plaintiff, Bryan K. Hawker, pro se, hereby complains against Defendant TransUnion, LLC and Does 1-5, inclusive (collectively all "Defendants"), and alleges as follows:

INTRODUCTION

This action is brought by Plaintiff, an individual with whom with Defendant TransUnion, LLC, a credit reporting agency, reported inaccurate and unverified credit information regarding Plaintiff and upon written requests by Plaintiff, failed to investigate or respond to written requests pursuant to state and federal credit reporting laws. Plaintiff has incurred financial damages as a direct result of Defendant TransUnion, LLC's intentional negligence by failing to investigate, verify and respond to Plaintiff's numerous requests.

PARTIES

- 1. Plaintiff is a resident of West Jordan, Utah, located in Salt Lake County.
- 2. Defendant TransUnion LLC ("TransUnion") is an American multinational consumer credit reporting agency headquartered in Chicago, Illinois.
- Defendant TransUnion is one of the three largest consumer credit reporting agencies, which collects and aggregates information on over 200 million individual consumers and more than 65 million businesses worldwide.
- 4. In addition to credit and demographic data and services to business, TransUnion sells credit monitoring and fraud prevention services directly to consumers.
 - 5. Defendant TransUnion operates and conducts business in Utah.
- 6. Does 1-5 represent Defendants that are unknown at the time of filing this complaint but may be liable for damages alleged herein.

JURISDICTION, VENUE AND TIER

- 7. This is a civil case with subject matter jurisdiction being conferred upon the Court by Utah Code Ann. § 78A-5-102(2).
 - 8. Venue is proper under Utah Code Ann. § 78B-3-307 and § 78B-3-205.
- 9. Based on the damages alleged by Plaintiff in this action, notwithstanding any punitive damages which might be assessed, this matter qualifies for Tier 1 discovery.

GENERAL ALLEGATIONS

10. Plaintiff refers to and incorporates by reference the preceding paragraphs as if fully set forth herein.

- 11. In early 2024, while reviewing his credit status, Plaintiff noticed a significant drop in his credit score, as reported by TransUnion.
- 12. Upon further review, Plaintiff observed numerous items that contained negative treatment of claims, as reported by TransUnion.
- 13. Many of the negative claims reported by TransUnion were either unsubstantiated, unverified, or simply incorrect.
- 14. Plaintiff, recognizing the errors being reported by TransUnion, sent written correspondence to TransUnion on or about 7/19/2024 questioning and disputing claims being reported and given negative treatment. See First Letter to TransUnion, attached hereto as "Exhibit A."

First Letter

- 15. Plaintiff, in his first correspondence to TransUnion, began by attempting to clarify an error with an address reported, one that was contained within a list of addresses believed to be known addresses of Plaintiff, but one which Plaintiff had actually never resided.
- 16. Next, Plaintiff identified eight (8) accounts that he disputed due to the information being either incorrect, invalid, or containing mistakes. The eight accounts stem from the following vendors:
 - Ford Motor Company
 - Ford Motor Company
 - Navy Federal Credit Union
 - Pentagon Federal Credit Union
- Pentagon Federal Credit Union
- Sheffield Financial
- Pentagon Federal Credit Union
- Bank of the West
- 17. Then, Plaintiff identified and disputed the following collection accounts that were deemed to be in error.

- Portfolio Recovery
- Portfolio Recovery
- LVNV Funding LLC

- LVNV Funding LLC
- Paramount Recovery Services
- 18. Plaintiff, in sending the first letter to TransUnion, was careful to use his current address, one by which TransUnion recognized to be Plaintiff's current address.
 - 19. Plaintiff sent the first letter to TransUnion via certified mail. See "Exhibit A."
- 20. The first letter to TransUnion was received on 7/24/2024 by an individual known to be an employee of TransUnion.
- 21. Plaintiff never received any response to his first letter to TransUnion requesting to have the information reviewed and verified.

Second Letter

- 22. Plaintiff, determined to contact TransUnion regarding the errors being reported by TransUnion, sent his second written correspondence to TransUnion on or about 10/29/2024, again questioning and disputing claims being reported and given negative treatment. *See* Second Letter to TransUnion, attached hereto as "Exhibit B."
- 23. The second letter to TransUnion referenced the prior first letter sent, which had been sent on 7/19/2024 and received on 7/24/2024, again by an employee of TransUnion. *See* "Exhibit B."
- 24. Plaintiff never received a response to his second letter to TransUnion requesting to have the information reviewed and verified.

Third Letter

- 25. At this juncture, Plaintiff sought relief through legal counsel, who, on limited representation, prepared and sent a third letter to TransUnion regarding the matter. *See* Third Letter to TransUnion, attached hereto as "Exhibit C."
- 26. The third letter to TransUnion, prepared and sent by counsel, was titled "Notice of Dispute; Notice of Intent to Sue."
- 27. The third letter to TransUnion referenced and outlined everything contained in the first and second letters.
- 28. Further, it identified the eight (8) accounts that Plaintiff disputed due to the information being either incorrect, invalid, or containing mistakes.
- 29. The third letter also identified and disputed collection accounts that were deemed to be in error.
- 30. The third letter to TransUnion was sent by counsel on 12/12/2024, and referenced a 15-day period, after receipt of the letter, for TransUnion to respond and/or remove the negative reporting to Plaintiff's credit.
- 31. Well more than 15-days has passed and TransUnion has failed to remove the negative reporting and/or to respond to counsel's third letter sent.
- 32. Counsel's letter to TransUnion included an email to which counsel could be reached, should the expiration of time had become an issue.
- 33. To date, counsel has neither received a written response by regular mail nor a response by email from TransUnion.

CLAIM FOR RELIEF

- 34. Plaintiff refers to and incorporates by reference the preceding paragraphs as if fully set forth herein.
- 35. The Fair Credit Reporting Act (FCRA), 15 U.S.C. § 1681, is a federal law that regulates the consumer reporting industry.
- 36. The FCRA's purpose is to ensure that consumer information is reported accurately, fairly, and in a timely manner.
- 37. The FCRA also protects the privacy of personal information collected by consumer reporting agencies (CRAs).
- 38. TransUnion clearly fits into the consumer reporting industry to which the Act intends to regulate and protect consumers.
- 39. In addition to strict federal laws protecting consumers from inaccurate and unverified reporting, states have also enacted laws or promulgated rules intended to protect consumer from the same unfair or inequitable treatment as the federal law.
- 40. Under Utah Admin. Code R152-21, a rule that governs credit services organizations, sets forth consumer protections and clearly defines the types of misreporting and mistreatment that the rule intends to protect consumers from.

Utah Admin. Code R152-21-3 - Definitions

- (1) "Challenge" means any act performed by a credit services organization to dispute an entry appearing on the buyer's credit report.
- (2) "Credit report" means any document prepared by a credit reporting agency used to demonstrate a buyer's credit-worthiness, credit standing, or credit capacity.
- (3) "Inaccurate information" means data that includes a typographical error or similar clerical or technical fault that creates reasonable doubt about the data's reliability.

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- (4) "Material error" means false or misleading information on a buyer's credit report that could reasonably affect a decision to extend or deny credit to the buyer.
- (5) "Material omission" means information that: (a) should appear on a buyer's credit report but does not; and (b) could reasonably affect a decision to extend or deny credit to the buyer.
- (6) "Outdated information" means information that, in accordance with state or federal law, should not appear on the buyer's credit report because of its age.
- (7) "Unverifiable information" means an entry on a credit report that lacks supporting evidence sufficient to convince a reasonable person that the entry is proper.
- 41. By failing to respond to three (3) letters sent by Plaintiff and proven to be received by TransUnion, Defendant TransUnion has failed to follow the protections set forth in both federal law and state administrative rules.
- 42. Therefore, TransUnion has committed intentional negligence by failing to review, correct, or respond to Plaintiff's inquiries.
- 43. Plaintiff has incurred monetary damages in the form of bad credit, no credit, denied loans and credit applications, as well as demonstrated intentional negligence by not properly reporting, investigating, or addressing disputes.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, the time for TransUnion to respond has now passed and Plaintiff has incurred, and continues to incur, damages as a result of TransUnion's failure to follow requirements and procedures as set forth in federal and state law. Plaintiff demands judgment against Defendant for damages as follows:

A. Intentional Negligence by TransUnion in its failure to investigate and respond to three (3) letter and requests from Plaintiff. For judgment against TransUnion in the form of credit repair, monetary compensation and damages incurred by

- Plaintiff as a result of TransUnion's failure, and punitive damages or fines against TransUnion as the court sees fit to award.
- For all attorney fees, court costs, and other amounts leading up to and spent in B. bringing this action.
- Under all claims for relief, for such other and further relief as the Court deems C. appropriate.

DATED this 3 day of January 2025.

Bryan K. Hawker

Pro se

Address for Plaintiff 8928 S. Black Pine St. West Jordan, Utah 84088

EXHIBIT A

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Bryan Hawker 8928 Black Pine Street West Jordan, UT 84088

Date 07/10/2024

TO: TransUnion P.O. Box 1000 Chester, PA 19002

RE: Disputed Information Below:

TransUnion, all the following items I have disputed in full, please investigate these accounts and send back your results within the 30 days which is allowed by law.

- 1. Address Reported: I dispute the following address 5905 Zina Circle West Valley, Utah 82128. I HAVE NEVER LIVED AT THIS ADDRESS OR EVER ASSOCIATED WITH THIS ADDRESS. (Remove this from my credit profile. This is incorrect information and according to State and Federal Law this needs to be removed.)
- 2. Address Reported: I dispute the following address 3339 North 175 West OGDEN UT, 84414. I HAVE NEVER LIVED AT THIS ADDRESS OR EVER ASSOCIATED WITH THIS ADDRESS. (Remove this from my credit profile. This is incorrect information and according to State and Federal Law this needs to be removed.)

3.	Account 1. Navy Federal Credit Union: I dispute this entire account in full. I dispute the payment history in full: I have never been late on any payments to Navy Federal Credit Union. Please respond with the following:			
	Person Contacted	Phone Number	Date	
4.	Account 2. Ford Motor Company CO: I dispute this entire account in full. I dispute the payment history in full: I have never been late on any payments to Ford Motor Company. Please respond with the following:			
	Person Contacted	Phone Number	Date	

5.	Account 3. Ford Motor Company CO: I dispute this entire account in full. I dispute the payment history in full: I have never been late on any payments to Ford Motor Company. Please respond with the following:			
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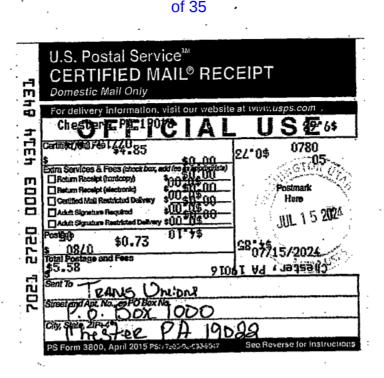
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Paramount Recovery Services: I have no knowledge of this account. Please investigate and remove it from my credit report.			
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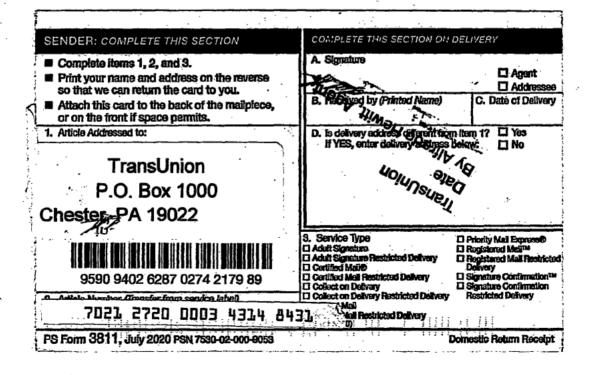
This information must be investigated and respond to me directly with the appropriate information as requested above. If you fail to respond to this information, it must be deleted from my credit profile. If you fail to do so **TransUnion** will be liable for every account according to State and Federal Laws not to exceed \$5000 per account. **TransUnion** will be liable for damages as well.

Look forward to your response,

Bryan Hawker



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Bryan Hawker 8928 Black Pine Street West Jordan, UT 84088

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Date 10/25/2024

TO: TransUnion P.O. Box 1000 Chester, PA 19022

TO: Utah State Attorney General Office 350 North State Street Suite 230 SLC UT 84114-2320

TO: ATTORNEY KEITH N HAMILTON TO: ATTORNEY MATTHEW K BROADBENT

RE: Disputes Sent on July 15, 2024

To Whom It May Concern:

I sent a detailed dispute to TransUnion on July 19, 2024, it was received on July 24, 2024, and signed by Alfredo Hewitt Agent or employee of TransUnion. Please see attachment A. I disputed all inaccurate information as follows in my credit report. Utah Law states all information disputed must be removed from my credit profile within 30 days, because you failed to answer any of my disputes.

TransUnion failed to respond to any of my disputes, I followed all laws and sent everything certified mail with the following tracking number (USPS TRACKING 7021 2720 0003 8431 9094) and signed by Alfredo Hewitt Agent or employee of TransUnion.

If you fail to remove said information, TransUnion will be liable for each disputed account on my credit profile in the amount of not less than \$1,000 but no more than \$5,000 per account. Per Utah State Law.

The following item according to Utah State Law are as follows: Utah Code R152-21-3

Section R152-21-3 - Definitions

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I have spoken with Attorney Keith N Hamiton as well as Matthew K Broadbent about this matter, I also have contacted the Utah State Attorney General's Office, they are ready to pursue this matter if necessary.

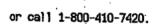
I will give TransUnion the required 30 days through State and Federal Laws to remove all disputed information attached to this letter that was certified to TransUnion and signed by Alfredo Hewitt Agent or employee of TransUnion on July 25, 2024.

I will require TransUnion to notify me by mail before the 30 days required by law. If TransUnion fails to do so I will be filing with all legal entities as listed above.

Gøvern Yourselves Accordingly

Bryan K Hawker





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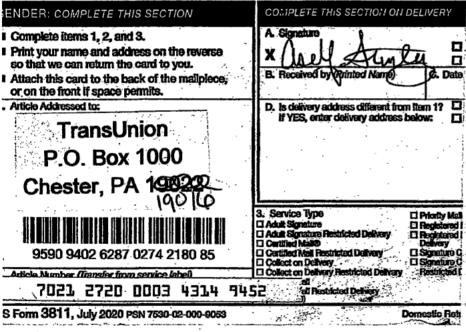
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Matthew K. Broadbent-Attorney at Law

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December 5, 2024

TransUnion LLC P.O. Box 805 Woodlyn, PA 19094-0805

TransUnion P.O. Box 2000 Chester, PA 19016

TransUnion P.O. Box 1000 Chester, PA 19016

Utah Attorney General's Office 350 North State Street Suite 230 Salt Lake City, UT 84114-2320

Utah Dept of Financial Institutions P.O. Box 146800 Salt Lake City. UT 84114-6800

Division of Consumer Protection State of Utah Department of Commerce PO Box 146704 Salt Lake City, UT 84114-6704

NOTICE OF DISPUTE; NOTICE OF INTENT TO SUE

TransUnion Improper Reporting, Failure to Follow Proper Re: Procedures, Failure to Comply with Utah Law

To TransUnion and Other Parties With Whom This May Concern:

I am representing Mr. Hawker as legal counsel in this matter concerning the negative treatment of claims that were reported, and continue to appear, on his credit report. As you can imagine, negative reporting to one's credit report can have devastating effects on one's credit score, purchasing power and many other aspects in life where credit scores are taken into consideration. In Mr. Hawker's situation, many of the negative claims were either unsubstantiated, unverified, or simply incorrect.

Under general credit reporting rules, an individual ("debtor") can question or dispute claims that were reported and given negative treatment. Mr. Hawker sent written correspondence to TransUnion on or about 7/19/2024 identifying specific

accounts and disputing them in full. TransUnion did not respond within 30 days, nor did they respond at all to the request. Mr. Hawker reached out a second time and sent written correspondence to TransUnion through certified mail, which was delivered on 11/5/2024 and received the next day by James McKellar, presumably an agent for TransUnion. See attached documents.

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In his correspondence, Mr. Hawker first clarified an error with an address where he had never resided. Then, he identified eight accounts that he disputed due to the information being either incorrect, invalid or containing mistakes. The eight accounts stem from the following vendors:

- Ford Motor Company
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- Pentagon Federal Credit Union
- **Pentagon Federal Credit Union**
- **Sheffield Financial**
- Pentagon Federal Credit Union
- Bank of the West

Mr. Hawker also identified and disputed the following collection accounts that he deemed to be in error.

- Portfolio Recovery
- Portfolio Recovery
- LVNV Funding LLC

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- **Paramount Recovery Services**

Mr. Hawker never received any response to his two (2) requests to have the information reviewed and verified. The only conclusion can be that TransUnion did not review the foregoing accounts and collection accounts. The time for TransUnion to respond has now passed and Mr. Hawker has incurred, and continues to incur, damages as a result of TransUnion's failure to follow requirements and procedures as set forth in state and federal law.

Mr. Hawker is asking for the immediate removal of negative reporting by TransUnion on the foregoing accounts and collection accounts within 15 days of the receipt of this letter. Should there be no response or action by TransUnion, Mr. Hawker will move forward in seeking damages and relief in this matter.

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Best regards.

Matthew K. Broadbent

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As an attorney representing Mr. Hawker, I'm authorized to discuss such matters as the damages associated with it. You will note the following authorization signed by Mr. Hawker and it should be retained as part of your record.

I. Bryan Hawker, authorize the release of any, and all information, written or otherwise. pertaining to my claim with TransUnion and matters associated with the claim(s), and to do so both verbally and in writing, to Matthew K. Broadbent, Attorney, at Law. This authorization shall remain in place until cancellation of such is made/in-writing

Bryan Hawke

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TransUnion P.O. Box 1000 Chester, PA 190

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- Complete items 1, 2, and 3.
- Print your name and address on the reverse so that we can return the card to you.
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- 1. Article Addressed to:

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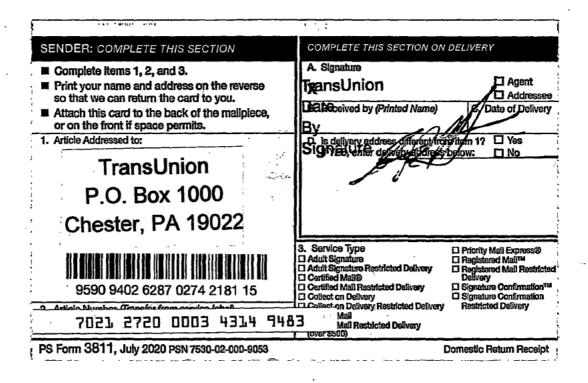
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☐ Agent ☐ Addressee

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